COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT/HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE MINUTES TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 2011

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Community Development/Human Resources Committee was held on Tuesday, April 26, 2011, in Committee Room #2. The following members were present:

The Honorable Joyce Sheperd, Chair The Honorable Alex Wan, Vice Chair The Honorable Michael J. Bond The Honorable Ivory Lee Young, Jr. The Honorable Cleta Winslow The Honorable Natalyn M. Archibong The Honorable Kwanza Hali

Others in attendance were: Commissioner George Dusenbury, Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs; Commissioner James Shelby; Deputy Commissioner Terri Lee, and Director Kevin Bean, Department of Planning and Community Development; Charles Whatley, Director of Commerce and Entrepreneurship, Atlanta Development Authority (ADA), Dewitt Martin, Director for Summer Food Service Program, Assistant City Attorney Jeffery Haymore, Law Department; and members of the press and public and Council Staff.

REQUESTED ITEMS

- 1. Atlanta Development Authority to provide data on job creation, affordable housing units for low income persons, and other ADA related activities. Responses from ADA are hereby attached to and made a part of the minutes.
- 2. Center for Civil and Human Rights to give information on the following issues: labor and training, the efforts to help Auburn Avenue, and the engagement of Civil and Human Rights leaders. Answers are provided in the attached memo.
- A. ADOPTION OF AGENDA ADOPTED
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES APPROVED

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C. PRESENTATIONS

1. Atlanta Development Authority (ADA)

Earnestine Garey, Acting President of Atlanta Development Authority, gave an overview of the ADA, which has 3 major functions (a) Promote Commerce and Entrepreneurship (b) Provide Housing Finance (URFA), and (c) Establish Tax Allocation Districts and New Markets. She also outlined ADA's Strategic Priorities for 2011-2012

2. <u>Center for Civil and Human Rights</u>

Doug Shipman, CEO – National Center for Civil and Human Rights, briefed the Committee with the following updates:

- CCHR has raised \$73 Million with \$12 million remaining for ground breaking.
- Will secure a construction management firm in the next few weeks.
- Has instituted, engaged, informed, and inspired programs to raise awareness and action on civil and human rights issues.

3. Code Enforcement Update

Code Enforcement Director Kevin Bean provided the Committee with caseload statistic, policy issues and code compliance actions items.

CONSENT AGENDA

D. ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

11-O-0623 (1) An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee amending the 2011 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget by adding to anticipations and appropriations in the amount of \$156,835.00 to increase the budget amount authorized by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") for the City of Atlanta's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program for Washington Properties; and for other purposes.

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D. ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING (CONT'D)

11-O-0624 (2) An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee amending the 2011 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget by adding to anticipations and appropriations in the amount of \$323,941.00 to increase the budget amount authorized by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD") for the City of Atlanta's Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program for Edgewood Center Housing Complex; and for other purposes.

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REGULAR AGENDA

HUMAN RESOURCES SECTION

E. ORDINANCE FOR SECOND READING

11-O-0683 (1) An Ordinance by Councilmembers C. T. Martin and Cleta Winslow to effectuate one of the recommendations made by the Reverend James Orange Commission, said recommendation being to change the name of "Oakland City Park" to "Rev. James Orange Park at Oakland City"; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes.

Councilmember Winslow made a motion to approve. The vote was unanimous.

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F. RESOLUTIONS

11-R-0627 (1) A Resolution by Community Development/Human Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor on behalf of the City of Atlanta to enter into an appropriate contractual agreement with Midtown Lanier Parking, Inc., d/b/a Lanier Parking Solutions for FC-5175, Parking Lot Management and Fee Collection at the Boisfeuillet Jones Atlanta Civic Center; all revenues generated under this contractual agreement shall be deposited into Account, Segment Numbers 5581 Civic Center Revenue Fund 000002 General. Default/Balance

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F. RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

Sheet. Default 3810013 Parking Revenues; and for other purposes.

Councilmember Young made a motion to approve. The vote was unanimous.

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11-R-0628 (2) A

A Resolution by Community Development/Human Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor, on behalf of the city, to participate with Park Pride Atlanta, Inc., in performing certain maintenance and repair work at Adams Park, by providing an amount not to exceed \$200,000.00 toward the project which shall be charged to and paid from the Ground and Site Improvements Trust Account; and for other purposes.

Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve. The vote was unanimous.

FAVORABLE

11-R-0629 (3)

A Resolution by Community Development/Human Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor to execute Renewal Number 2 with G.A. Food Service, Inc., for FC-4539, Summer Food Program, on behalf of the Mayor's Office of Human Services in an amount not to exceed \$519,257.43; all contracted work to be charged to and paid from Fund, Department Organization and Account Number 2501 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) 040208 (Human Services) 5239004 (Service Grants) 101 (Food Program) 04210954 (Summer Food Program) 250141777 (2011 Summer Food Service Program) COA (City of Atlanta); and for other purposes.

Councilmember Young made a motion to approve. The vote was unanimous.

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G. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE

10-O-0928 (1) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Joyce M. Sheperd, Michael Bond, Natalyn Archibong, Aaron Watson, H. Lamar Willis, Alex Wan, Cleta Winslow, C. T. Martin and Carla Smith to amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, Chapter 2, Article IV, Section 2-195 to expand the functions and duties of the Atlanta Workforce Development Agency; to insert a new Article XI entitled the Atlanta Community Benefits Jobs Policy, which New Article XI shall include Division 1 – General Provisions, Division 2 – First Source Jobs Policy, Division 3 – Atlanta

Division 4 – Atlanta First Source and Jobs Training Oversight Committee; to repeal conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. (Held 06/01/10 at the request of the author of the paper) (Work session held 7/15/10)

Jobs Training and Employment Placement Policy, and

HELD

- 10-O-1986 (2) An Ordinance by Councilmembers H. Lamar Willis, Ivory L. Young, Jr., Aaron Watson, Carla Smith, Kwanza Hall,
 - C. T. Martin, Natalyn M. Archibong and Michael J. Bond to amend Section 110-38, entitled "Functions and Duties of Bureau of Cultural Affairs" of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia so as to add a new Subsection (7) which shall authorize the Bureau of Cultural Affairs to administer a Public Art Murals Program; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. (Held 11/9/10 at the request of the Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs) HELD
- 10-O-1987 (3) An Ordinance by Councilmembers H. Lamar Willis, Ivory L. Young, Jr., Aaron Watson, Carla Smith, Kwanza Hall, C. T. Martin, Natalyn M. Archibong and Michael J. Bond to amend Chapter 46, entitled "Civic and Cultural Affairs" of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia by creating a new Article IV to be entitled "Public Art Murals"; to provide for the structure and framework

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G. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

which shall govern the administration of the Public Art Murals Program; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. (Held 11/9/10 at the request of the Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs)

HELD

Resolution by Community Development/Human 11-R-0264 (4) Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor or his designee, on behalf of the City, to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia by and on behalf of Georgia State University, regarding the provision of maintenance and other services at Hurt Park; and for other purposes. (Held 3/1/11)

HELD

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SECTION

H. RESOLUTIONS

11-R-0625 (1) by Community Development/Human Resolution Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor, to enter into a Housing Assistance Payments ("HAP") Contract with Edgewood Center Limited Partnership in an amount not to exceed \$283,176.00 in order to pay rental unit subsidies on forty-six (46) units for individuals living with AIDS/HIV at the Edgewood Center Complex pursuant to the Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program sponsored by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and for other purposes. (Held 4/26/11)

HELD

11-R-0626 (2) Α by Community Development/Human Resolution Resources Committee authorizing the Mayor, to enter into a Housing Assistance Payments ("HAP") Contract with Washington Street Apartments, LLC in an amount not to exceed \$142,656.00 in order to pay rental subsidies on sixteen (16) units for very low income families at the

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H. RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

Washington Properties pursuant to the Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Program sponsored by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); and for other purposes. (Held 4/26/11)

for other purposes. (Substituted and Held 4/26/11)

HELD

11-R-0678 (3) A Resolution by Councilmembers Joyce M. Sheperd, C. T. Martin, Aaron Watson, Michael J. Bond, Cleta Winslow, Howard Shook, Carla Smith, Felicia A. Moore, Natalyn M. Archibong, H. Lamar Willis, Yolanda Adrean and Alex Wan as **Substituted by Community Development/Human Resources Committee** to request the Office of the Mayor to provide the City Council an update on the City of Atlanta latest census; to express the City Council's desire to challenge the Census Count; and

HELD

11-R-0680 (4) A Resolution by Councilmembers Joyce Sheperd and Cleta Winslow adopting the "Fort McPherson Research Park Master Plan and District Conceptual Plan" (An Update to the approved Reuse Plan) into the City of Atlanta's current Comprehensive Development Plan; and for other purposes. (Held 4/26/11)

HELD

11-R-0686 (5) A Resolution by Councilmember Ivory L. Young, Jr. as **Substituted by Community Development/Human Resources Committee** authorizing the Mayor to execute an Intergovernmental Agreement by and between the City of Atlanta, Georgia and the Atlanta Development Authority for the administration of the Empowerment Zone Revolving Loan Fund and the Empowerment Zone Façade Fund; and for other purposes.

FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE

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I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE

10-0-0398 (1) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Ivory Lee Young, Jr., Joyce Sheperd and Michael Bond to amend Article II, Section 29 of the Atlanta Housing Code of 1987, Appendix "E" of the City of Atlanta Land Development Code, entitled "Minimum Specifications to Abate Interior Requirements in Vacant Dwelling Units", so as to require minimum boarding specifications for structures boarded for six (6) months or less; so as to require minimum boarding specifications for structure boarded for greater than six (6) months; so as to allow boarding for greater than six (6) months upon written approval from the Director of the Bureau of Code Compliance and upon implementation of minimum boarding specifications set forth herein; and for other purposes. (Held 2/23/10 at the request of the department)

HELD

10-O-0934 (2)

Community Development/Human An Ordinance by Resources Committee to adopt the D. L. Hollowell Parkway/Veterans Memorial Highway Livable Centers Initiative (LCI) Study; to amend the City of Atlanta 2008-2023 Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to incorporate the Study into the CDP; and for other purposes. (CDP Public Hearing held 6/14/10) (Held 6/15/2010) NPUs-G. H. I & J **Council District 9**

HELD

10-O-0898 (3) **CDP-10-05**

An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the Land Use Element of the 2008 Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to re-designate properties located in the D. L. Hollowell/Veterans Memorial Livable Centers Initiative (LCI) Study Area from Various Land Use Designations to Various Land Use Designations; and for other purposes. (Held 06/01/10) (CDP Public Hearing held 6/14/10)

06/01/10) (CDP Public Hearing held 6/14/10) NPUs-G, H, I & J Council District 9

HELD

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I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

10-R-1067 (4) A Resolution by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to confirm the appointment of Mr. Bill Rasul to the Metropolitan Parkway Tax Allocation District Advisory Committee; and for other purposes.

HELD

10-O-1457 (5) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Joyce M. Sheperd, Felicia A. Moore, C. T. Martin, Michael Julian Bond, Cleta Winslow, Carla Smith, Yolanda Adrean, Keisha Lance Bottoms, Kwanza Hall, Aaron Watson, Ivory Lee Young, Jr. and H. Lamar Willis to amend the Atlanta Housing Code of 1987, Appendix E to the Land Development Code, so as to establish rules and regulations for registration of vacant buildings; to provide for penalties; to repeal conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. (Held 8/31/10 for additional information)

HELD

10-O-1808 (6) An Ordinance by Councilmember Kwanza Hall to amend the Future Land Use Map of the 2008 City of Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to redesignate property located at 465, 467, 469, 471, 479 and

Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to redesignate property located at <u>465</u>, <u>467</u>, <u>469</u>, <u>471</u>, <u>479</u> and <u>479 (rear) North Highland Avenue</u> from the "Low Density Residential" (LDR)" Land Use Designation to the "Low Density Commercial (LDC)" Land Use Designation; and for other purposes. (Held 10/12/10) (Held for a Public Harring or 11/20/10)

Hearing on 11/29/10) NPU-N

Council District 2

HELD

10-O-1919 (7) An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the 2008 City of Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan by adopting the "Atlanta BeltLine Master Plan Sub-Area 4: Memorial Drive/Glenwood Ave."; and for other purposes. (Public Hearing Held

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I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

11/29/10) (Favorable by CD/HR on 11/30/10) (Referred back by Council 12/6/10) (Held 12/14/10)

HELD

10-O-1991 (8) **CDP-10-12**

An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the Land Use Element of the City of Atlanta's 2008 Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to re-designate properties located in the Atlanta BeltLine Sub-Area 4 Memorial-Glenwood from Various Land Use Designations to Various Land Use Designations; and for other purposes. (Public Hearing held on 11/29/10) (Favorable by CD/HR on 11/30/10) (Referred back by Council 12/6/10) (Held 12/14/10)

NPUs N and W Council Districts 1, 2 and 5

HELD

10-0-1458 (9)

An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce M. Sheperd authorizing the Mayor or his designee to modify the boundaries of the Capitol View and Oakland City Neighborhoods and to amend the City's Official Neighborhood and NPU Maps accordingly; and for other purposes. (Favorable by CD/HR on 11/30/10) (Referred back by Council 12/6/10) (Held 12/14/10)

HELD

11-0-0136 (10)

Substitute Ordinance bv Community Α Development/Human Resources Committee to adopt a new Code of Ordinance Section 158-4 through Section 158-11 so as to provide for the removal of overgrown weeds and other junk, trash and debris on abandoned property by the City after notice and failure of the property owner to abate the violation or otherwise request adjudication in Atlanta Municipal Court; to authorize the collection of abatement costs through billing and liening, if necessary; to authorize the Department of Public Works to carry out such abatement; and for other purposes. (Substituted and held 2/15/11)

HELD

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I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

11-O-0248 (11) **CDP-11-01**

An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the Land Use Element of the 2008 Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to re-designate property that is located at **2121 Hollywood Road** from the "Single-Family Residential" Land Use Designation to the "Low Density Commercial" Land Use Designation (Z-10-34); and for other purposes. (Held 3/1/11) (CDP Public Hearing was held on 3/14/11) NPU-D Council District 9

HELD

11-O-0249 (12) **CDP-11-02**

An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the Land Use Element of the 2008 Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to re-designate property that is located at **a Part of 668**Atlanta Student Movement Blvd. (formerly Fair Street) from the "Medium Density Residential" Land Use Designation to the "High Density Residential" Land Use Designation (Z-11-01); and for other purposes. (Held 3/1/11) (CDP Public Hearing was held on 3/14/11)

NPU-T Council District 4

HELD

11-O-0250 (13) **CDP-11-03**

An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to amend the Land Use Element of the 2008 Atlanta Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) so as to re-designate property that is located at <u>3201 Atlanta Industrial Parkway</u> from the "Industrial" Land Use Designation to the "Office-Institutional" Land Use Designation (Z-11-04); and for other purposes. (Held 3/1/11 for CDP Public Hearing 6/13/11)

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HELD

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I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

11-O-0362 (14) An Ordinance by Community Development/Human Resources Committee to create the "Oridan at Willis Mill Housing Urban Enterprise Zone" located at 64 Willis Mill Road, SW Atlanta, GA 30311; to provide exemption from City ad valorem real property taxes for a period of ten years at the rate prescribed by and in accordance with State Law; to provide notification to affected governmental entities; and for other purposes. (Held 3/29/11) (A Public Hearing is scheduled for 6/13/11)

HELD

11-C-0517 (15) A Communication by Cathy Richards, President, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board (APAB), to Municipal Clerk Rhonda Dauphin Johnson submitting their appointment of <u>Ms. Jennifer Freeman</u> to serve as a member of the BeltLine Tax Allocation District (TAD) Advisory Committee, scheduled to begin on the date of Council confirmation. (Held 3/29/11 to allow appointee the opportunity to come before the Committee)

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11-C-0519 (16) A Communication by Cathy Richards, President, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board (APAB), to Municipal Clerk Rhonda Dauphin Johnson submitting their appointment of <u>Ms. Moki Macias</u> to serve as a member of the BeltLine Tax Allocation District (TAD) Advisory Committee, scheduled to begin on the date of Council confirmation. (Held 3/29/11 to allow appointee the opportunity to come before the Committee)

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11-C-0520 (17) A Communication by Cathy Richards, President, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board (APAB), to Municipal Clerk Rhonda Dauphin Johnson submitting their appointment of **Ms. Kelli J. Reid** to serve as a member of the BeltLine Tax Allocation District (TAD) Advisory Committee, scheduled to begin on the

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date of Council confirmation. (Held 3/29/11 to allow appointee the opportunity to come before the Committee)

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11-C-0523 (18)

A Communication by Cathy Richards, President, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board (APAB), to Municipal Clerk Rhonda Dauphin Johnson submitting their re-appointment of <u>Mr. Ron Hewitt</u> to serve as a member of the BeltLine Tax Allocation District (TAD) Advisory Committee. This reappointment is retroactive to January 1, 2011, scheduled to begin on the date of Council confirmation. (Held 3/29/11 to allow appointee the opportunity to come before the Committee)

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K. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

COMMENTS WILL BE LIMITED TO 5 MINUTES.

FROM TIME TO TIME, THE COMMITTEE MAY HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON CERTAIN PIECE(S) OF LEGISLATION, AS REQUIRED BY CODE OR REGULATION.



CDHR Meeting Held on April 26, 2011 ADA Responses to Questions posed from Constituents

Questions	Responses
How many jobs are promised for Screen Gems?	 175 temporary constructions jobs Commitment to create 25 permanent jobs (35 hours per week) no later than two (2) years after obtaining the Certificate of Occupancy. Current jobs created are in the following categories: security (10), maintenance (3), administration (3), and operations (1) Screen Gems clients are projected to created approximately 150 jobs (utilizing primarily union workers)
	Council member Joyce Sheperd established the Screen Gems Community Task Force to create awareness of potential employment opportunities as well as the necessary skills necessary to perform film, television related jobs. Metropolitan Technical College is playing an important role in providing the appropriate skills for the required jobs.
2. What % of units is available to low income persons at 20%-30% AMI?	URFA continues to provide affordable housing opportunities across all income spectrums. Specifically, URFA currently provides over 2,800 units of owner-occupied and rental housing to persons at or below 30% of Area Median Income (AMI). Below is a breakdown of units by housing type:
	 Of the 8,519 rental housing units currently in URFA's portfolio, 2,462 units (29%) are affordable to person(s) at or below 30% of AMI; 25 families at or below 30% of AMI are now homeowners thanks to URFA's 1st mortgage financing and down payment assistance; and 354 of the 412 supportive housing units (86%) are affordable to person(s) at or below 30% AMI.
3. How much money has reverted to the Federal Government and why?	As it relates to programs managed by ADA, zero dollars have reverted to the Federal Government.
4. By what authority does the Chair of the CDHR Committee serve on the Board of ADA?	The Atlanta Development Authority ("ADA") was activated pursuant to the Georgia Development Authorities Law (O.C.G.A. Section 36-62-1 et seq.) by the following legislation of the City Council of the City of Atlanta: (1) Resolution 97-R-0716 adopted May 19, 1997 and approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1997; and (2) Resolution 99-R-0606 adopted on April 6, 1999 and approved by the Mayor on April 13, 1999 (together, the "ADA Activating Legislation". Section 2.3 of the Amended and Restated Bylaws of ADA, dated August 20, 2009 (the "ADA Bylaws") memorializes the composition of the ADA Board of Directors, as set forth in the ADA Activating Legislation. In pertinent part, Section 2.3 provides that the Board includes "the Chair of the City Council Community Development and Human Resource Committee or

Question #4 Con't	its successor" (whoever that is).
	Similarly, in accordance with corresponding provisions in activating legislation and bylaws of the following organizations, the Chair of the City Council Community Development and Human Resource Committee or its successor is also a member of the boards of the Downtown Development Authority of the City of Atlanta, the Urban Residential Finance Authority of the City of Atlanta, Georgia and the Atlanta Urban Redevelopment Agency.
5. Is there a non- commercial Campbellton Road TAD?	 Campbellton Road Tax Allocation District Primary focus of this TAD is commercial and mixed-use development in activity nodes along the corridor. Mixed-use development may include housing
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To: CDHR Committee of Atlanta City Council

From: Doug Shipman, CEO- National Center for Civil and Human Rights

Re: Responses to questions asked during presentation on April 26, 2011

Q1: How will the Center include labor and training of workers in the process of building the Center?

The Center will secure a Construction Management (CM) firm in the next few weeks. As part of the RFP process we highlighted a strong desire to use Organized Labor in the construction of the Center. We have also had preliminary discussions with programs that offer trade-skill training to individuals. We plan to kickoff a process to review and use Organized Labor in the project following the signing of the CM contract.

Q2: What are the efforts to help Auburn Avenue area receive resources and investments as part of the Center's efforts?

We are currently undertaking several initiatives.

- We still fund and support the Andrew Young Auburn Avenue Walking Tour that can be downloaded or accessed via cell phone for visiting Auburn Avenue.
- We have provided advice and guidance to the Auburn Avenue Research Library regarding their new expansion project.
- We are working with the Streetcar planning team to integrate history both on and off of the streetcars and to plan the stops and routes to support residents and visitors interacting with key assets throughout the Auburn Avenue area.
- We have been part of an effort to secure funding for streetscape improvements that will include visitation information and walking trail support.

Q3: How is the Center engaging Civil and Human Rights leaders?

We have a formal group called the Global Advisory Board that includes many civil and human rights leaders. We engaged this on a regular basis for advice and assistance. We also have relationships with key individuals civil and human rights leaders of organizations that we have consistently brought together to review materials, provide advice and help us establish partnerships. We continue to expand our formal and informal ways of engaging leaders in the work to build and program the Center.

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There being no further business to come before the Community Development/Human Resources Committee the meeting was adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Angela H. Campbell, Legislative Assistant

Stephen Tam, Research & Policy Analyst

The Honorable Joyce Sheperd, Chair